

# Liberty Lake Municipal Library

## @ the Library *(they can do that?)*

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### NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK APRIL 8—14, 2012

**Celebrate National Library Week with us at a special  
Open House from 6—8 on Thursday, April 12.**

We're closing the library early at 5 to get ready to welcome everyone to a night of discovery at the library. Come and enjoy refreshments, music, balloons, and introductions to some of the many amazing resources available at the Library.

**Plus, win a chance to borrow a Nook or Kindle downloaded with the book of your choice!**

Tickets for the Friends' Tea on April 28th will be available for purchase. Library staff will showcase our downloadable ebook and audio book sites, Tutor. Com homework help, Jobs & Career Center, updated Children's room, Teaching Company College course collection, and other online information resources.

Be the first to hear about the Library's entry into the Cooperative Information Network later this year and how that will increase Liberty Lake's access to over 500,000 items & inter-library loan service free of charge!

**Win a chance to borrow one of the library's Nooks or Kindles loaded with the book of your choice and listen to the New Criterion Banjo Orchestra as you explore all that Liberty Lake Municipal Library has to offer!**

*New Criterion Banjo Orchestra*

Turn-of-the century ragtime  
for 21st century audiences.



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**Get Live  
Homework  
Help®**



#### Library Hours

**Tuesday: 10—6  
Wednesday: 10—6  
Thursday: 10—8  
Friday: 10—6  
Saturday: 10—4  
Closed Sunday &  
Monday**

## Coming Events



**Friends of the  
Library "Pink  
Perfection"  
Tea Party**

**Silent Auction  
&**

**Fashion Show**

courtesy of

**Apricot Lane Boutique**

**Saturday, April 28th, 1—3**

**Meadowood Technology  
Park**

**Tickets: \$20 adults**

**\$10 ages 14 and under**

**Available in April at the library  
and other special city events.**

**Information: 509-255-4111**

**Beginning Computer  
Class for Adults**

**Saturdays @ 10:30**

**Meeting Room**

The class meets Saturday mornings from 10:30—11:30. Technical Specialist Travis Montgomery offers help on the basics of computer use, how to set up an email account, and how to start using Microsoft Office products, etc. discuss with Travis what classes they are interested in him teaching.

**Saturday  
Crafts for  
Kids 6 Yrs.  
And Up**



**April 7 - Easter Basket**

**April 14 - Woven Barrettes  
and Coin Purse**

**April 21 - Pencil Holder**

**April 28 - NO Craft**

**Knitting Club  
@ the Library**



**Saturdays @ 10:30**

If you'd like to learn how to knit, have a troublesome project needing help, or would like to work on your project in the company of other knitters, the Library's Knitting Club meets weekly. Some members are planning a service project. others on working on personal ones. **Come as you wish.**



**Books 'n Brew  
April 26th @  
6:30**

**Discussing *Empire Falls*  
by Richard Russo  
Everyone welcome!**

**April STORY TIMES**

**Tuesdays  
10:30  
Toddler/Preschool  
Story Time  
18 months and up**

**Wednesday  
10:30  
Toddler/Preschool  
Story Time  
18 months and up  
(same program as  
Tuesday)**

**Fridays  
10:15 Baby Laptime  
Birth-24 months  
11:00 Toddler/Preschool  
Stories and Songs  
18 months and up  
1:00 Stories and Crafts**

**Saturdays  
1:00 pm  
Crafts  
Ages 6 and**



**Money Smart Week® (MSW)** is a series of free classes and activities designed to help consumers better manage their personal finances. **Liberty Lake Municipal Library** will be hosting events **April 21 - 28, 2012** for all ages.

**Saturday**  
**April 21st 1:00—2:00 pm**  
**GET: Guaranteed Tuition**

Jacquelyne Ferrado from GET:Guaranteed Education Tuition will explain Washington's 529 Pre-paid Tuition Plan that helps families to save for college. Personal experience with the GET program will be offered by participants.

**Tuesday**  
**April 24th 6:00—8:00**  
**Women & Investing**

Tips for women on entering, managing or taking over the management of investments for themselves and family members. Sponsored by Edward Jones Investment.

**Wednesday**  
**April 25th 4:00—4:45**  
**Summer Job**

Teens planning on working for others or themselves this summer will get tips on managing their money, investing, and building for the future. Get ready now to create your own business this summer!

**Thursday**  
**April 26th 6:00—8:00**  
**Insurance**

How much, where, for what, and why? Sponsored by Edward Jones Investment.

**Friday**  
**April 27th 4:00—4:45**  
**Piggy Banks to Money Markets**

A 30 minute video and fun activities for elementary school ages introduce the ideas of saving, spending, investing and giving as well as some advice from the Berenstain Bears!

### In Honor of National Library Week in April

take a moment to think about the ways Liberty Lake's Library enhances your life and then tell others by:

...writing a letter or email of appreciation to the Mayor and City Council



...sending an email to the Splash

...inviting a friend or neighbor to a library program or to browse the shelves and have coffee / tea

...enclosing a note to the staff in your next return.

**We'd love to hear from you!**

### Like us on Facebook

Get the latest information about:

- # What's happening at the library,
- # New books, fun and informative programs



OR

- # Ask us questions
- # Talk about your latest or favorite book
- # Tell us what resources or programs you'd like to see at the Library

### Wanted: Volunteers !

Teach a skill, share a passion, discuss a topic, help with library chores, create posters and bookmarks, write news stories, tell others about the library, run the bookstore, plan fundraisers, join Library groups such as the Friends or the Foundation...

There's lots of things volunteers can do at the library...some things only YOU can do! Please consider how you might contribute to the Liberty Lake community through volunteering your time, talents, and abilities to the Library!

To talk about how you can be part of "Informing Today & Inspiring Tomorrow" at the Library, please call:

**Dan Pringle**  
**Adult Services/  
 Reference Librarian**

**435-0778.**



**Coffee @  
 the Library!**

In response to popular demand, the library now offers coffee, tea and hot cocoa for a suggested donation of \$2.00.

## Liberty Lake Municipal Library

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Website: [www.libertylakewa.gov/library](http://www.libertylakewa.gov/library)

Library Catalog: [www.youseemore.com/libertylake](http://www.youseemore.com/libertylake)



### Library Meetings

The **Library Board of Trustees** meets the 1st Thursday of every month from 6:30–8 at the library.

The **Library Foundation** meets the 2nd Thursday of every month from 6:30–8:00 at the library.

The **Friends of Liberty Lake Municipal Library** meet the last Tuesday of every month from 6:00–8:00 at the library

### Liberty Lake Quilt Society Exhibit April @ the Library!

**Come see the Society's beautiful  
eight quilt exhibit**

### 2012 Edible Book Contest Winners!



1st Place Entry:  
*The Greedy Python*



Austen Christensen -1st Place



Rabbe Greenup-2nd place



Olivia Christensen-3rd Place

### April Library Story Times

**Tuesdays @ 10:30 Toddler/Preschool**

**Wednesdays @ 10:30 Toddler/Preschool**

**Thursdays @ 10:30am Story Plus Math &  
Science for 3-5years**

**Fridays @ 10:15 Baby Laptime**

**11:00 Toddler/Preschool**

**1:00 Stories & Crafts for 3 yr olds +**

**Saturdays @ 1:00 Crafts for ages 6 yrs + only**



### Why Children Need Library Cards

Children can get their own library cards from LLML beginning at the age of 5. Some may wonder why we issue cards to children that young or why give them to children at all?

**Library cards allow children an opportunity to be treated as an important individual.** Using their own card gives children the experience of exercising choice and being treated just like a grown-up at the check-out desk. You should see the happy smiles!

**Library cards give children a sense of ownership.** Children develop the sense that the library is "theirs." Staff become friends and the library collection an adventurous place for them to explore.

**Library cards are a tool for learning responsibility.** Taking care of library materials and getting them back on time is a low-risk opportunity for children to learn responsibility. Library staff understands that damage and late fees happen to everyone and are happy work with children to help them meet their obligations.



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